

# News Release

## *Rhode Island National Wildlife Refuge Complex*

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### **For Immediate Release**

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## **The Cinder Worm Program is on again.**

### **Register Now! Applications taken for both students & mentors**

### **Kettle Pond Visitor Center, Charlestown, Rhode Island**

For the past four years, Dave Pollack / Capt. Ray Stachelek and mentors from Connecticut/ Rhode Island Coastal Fly Fishers along with the Rhody Fly Rodders group have been facilitating this instructional program, with the aid of the U.S Fish & Wildlife Service and the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management. The first two sessions are devoted to tying cinderworm emergence patterns. One Saturday afternoon/evening is devoted to fishing them on Ninigret Pond. Many of you have already participated as students and/or instructors.

We are doing it again in the spring of 2013. Fly tying will be on two weekday nights at the USF&W Kettle Pond Nature Center. Fishing will be on Saturday at Ninigret National Wildlife Refuge.

We provide all necessary fly tying tools, materials, and fly rod outfits as needed.

**Fly Tying: Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> and Monday May 6<sup>th</sup> from 6:30<sup>PM</sup> – 8:30<sup>PM</sup>**

**Fishing: Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> from 4:00<sup>PM</sup> to dark**

Every year there is a waiting list for new students. The class enrollment is limited to 40 students. Looking for instructors, our student to teacher ratio ideally would be 3-1.

Pre-registration is required.

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